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ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, JANUARY 2, 1930

COFFEE FARMERS
SHIPPED CREAM
WORTH \$25,625.60

Comparatively Small Number of Coffee County Farmers Demonstrate Great Possibilities of Dairying In This Section.

Feeling that the control of communicable diseases is our most important duty, this part of our work will take precedence over all others. When the existence of a communicable disease in the county is reported to us, we will initiate as early as possible the control measures recommended by the State Board of Health.

Weekly routine as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, we will be doing work in the schools of the county. At Elba office Wednesday 9:00 a. m. to Christmas and 13 shipped from New Brahma the same week. I was informed that none is being shipped from Elba. The two places shipped 440 gallons that week.

Figuring at 440 gallons of the gallon would be 3360 pounds. This cream made an average test of 32 per cent, which no doubt it would be 1232 pounds butter fat sold. Figuring this at 40 cents per pound butter fat, it is not hard to figure that the two places have averaged that much for the past 12 months) would bring to these 34 farmers \$492.80 for this one week. Figuring this as a basis for the year, we can see that if each of the 34 farms would mean that the had sold \$25,625.60 worth of cream the past year. Now to average this would mean that the 34 farmers shipping this cream would have sold \$756.66, or \$1,161,153.66. This begins to look like money, and might look good to figure this way, but it is entirely possible and the county would be in much better condition if this very thing was done.

With most of these farmers this is a new venture, and of course crop but just a side line or an added income to the main crops. This only represents the cream sold—it does not say anything about what is used as hog feed, or for milk for pigs and chickens and manure to be put back on the farm. There are many things to consider in going into this business, but I'm going to name a few, either one of which may not be manure, either, namely: desire; work; permanent pasture and home grown feeds. I am convinced that there is no more reason for farmers of Coffee County not having these farms than there is for farmers in any other locality.

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Young Farmers and the Cooperative Advertising have initiated the widespread argument as to whether a hog or a pig can swim.

There is a wide divergence of opinion regarding the matter in this community. During the flood last March, the question was argued among the hog men who remarked that his own farm would do what these 34 farmers have averaged, doing that would mean 1540 times \$756.66, or \$1,161,153.66. This begins to look like money, and might look good to figure this way, but it is entirely possible and the county would be in much better condition if this very thing was done.

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Elba High School Has Basketball Team.

Coach Paul Morgan is rapidly winning a likely lot of new and raw recruits into what promises to be a creditable basketball team.

Basketball has not been played very extensively in Elba for the past few years, consequently the man here is mostly quite "green," but Coach Morgan has the knack of being able to take inexperienced players and mould them into a smooth-working machine. This is the first time he has done this, the past year when he built up a winning football combination out of what was considered unusually unpromising material at the beginning of the football season.

"I have observed, down on the Gulf, that many pigs have a natural desire to swim, and when there is a fish-house out over the water the pigs will swim out under the house and dive down to the bottom of the water in order to gather the scraps of fish. These pigs are unusually good swimmers, and I have seen them swim across. Dr. Drang is not only a good Doctor, but he owns a lot of land and all his land is good for livestock. Of all the big land owners in the country, Dr. Drang is the one that should get to good use.

So somebody up in best time to wake Dr. Drang up. He is in great need of some fine Jersey hogs, and we have them spotted for him but for some reason unknown he has not been able to get them across. Dr. Drang is not only a good Doctor, but he owns a lot of land and all his land is good for livestock.

"Old settlers in this section who have pastures adjoining streams learned many years ago that their hogs, and even the small pigs, are able to swim the streams, and in

quite a long time.

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**Quick Relief for
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Them Almost Instantly**

The phenomenal success of
docto's famous prescription called
Thoxine is due to its double action.
It immediately soothes the irritation
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the most obstinate cough.

Thoxine contains no harmful
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It is a money bank guarantee to give
you relief and quicker relief for coughs or
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ever tried. Ask for Thoxine, put
up ready for use in 35c, 60c, and
1.00 bottles.

Sold by ELBA DRUG CO., and
all other good drug stores. 2.

PROHIBITION DEATHS

In a series of articles recently
published the Alabama Herald
points out that 1,310 persons
have to have been killed as a result
of violation of the prohibition law
in the United States.

CARD OF THANKS

There is a vacant chair in our
house and we have been looking
for a new occupant. We have
recalled since the Valentine that the
same effect, namely, 10 years ago.

Regardless of one's views con-
cerning prohibition, it is deplorable
that its enforcement should be
accompanied by such a loss of human
lives.

ADVERTISING IN 1930

The 240 members of the Ameri-
can Association of Advertisers will
have the largest total value of
\$900,000,000, during the year
in 1929, according to the president
of the association. This represents
an increase of 10 per cent.

This announcement made in
connection with the survey of busi-
ness and industrial activities being
made at the suggestion of Presi-
dent Hoover, after conferring with
leaders in the various basic indus-
tries.

It should be encouraging to the
country at large that these national
advertisers have sufficient faith in
the future of our economic
system to persist in their efforts
and increased vigor in their sales
for the coming year.

**MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE NOTICE**

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
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Default having been made in the
payment of the debt secured by
the following described property
on the 14th day of December,
1929, by the Federal Land
Bank of New Orleans, Mortga-
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NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

All of the NW 1/4 of the SW
1/4, the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4,
the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 and
the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 lying
south of the mouth of Pea River,
Section 30, the SW 1/4 of the
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SE 1/4, Section 31, the NW 1/4
of Section 32, the SW 1/4 of the
SW 1/4, Section 32, all in Town-
ship 5, Range 20, less 101 and
3-4 acres sold to D. C. Thomas
and less 72 acres sold to Bon-
nie Jackson, in Coffee County.

Said foreclosure sale will be
made for the purpose of realizing
the mortgage debt as provided for
in said mortgage, together with the
expenses of sale, including printer's
fee and a reasonable attorney's fee.

Done this, the 30th day of Decem-
ber, 1929.

**THE FEDERAL LAND
BANK OF NEW ORLEANS,
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**NOTICE OF PREVENT
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**NOTICE OF CREDITOR'S
FIRST MEETING**

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District of Alabama, Southern Di-
vision, in Bankruptcy, in the matter
of Mrs. S. J. Jennings and D. E. Jen-
nings to T. S. Faulk & Company,

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**NOTICE OF LANDSCAPE
LAWNS**

SELMA, Ala., Jan. 1.—Sixty
Dallas County farm women have
begun planting of shrubs around
their homes. Annette Smith, Bremen,
Alabama, who is the landscape
agent, says that every plant-
ing means a beginning toward
more beautiful homes. Other land-
scape work on the homesteads will
be done later, she said.

**Muster Roll Of Company A,
18th Alabama Volunteers**

Dear Editor:

I have before me the Muster roll
of the 18th Alabama Volunteers
for October and November, 1861. W. M. More-
ley heads this list as the Captain.

There are 13 officers receiving
as pay from \$17 to \$20 per
month. The first is James M. Anning, the 18th and last
son A. Gunter. The Privates were \$11.00, and R. W. Starkie
is the witness they received their
pay. They were mustered in the
service July 4th, '61, for the
term of three years.

Moxy died at Greenville, Texas,
in 1878. I married his eldest
daughter, Bette, in 1874. Who of
the Company is on this side of
the "River?"

E. B. Featherston, Aspern-
ton, Texas.

**Records Tell Facts
About Dairy Herds**

AUBURN, Ala., Dec. 30.—"Be
a searchlight, the dairy herd im-
provement association pierces the
dense darkness that prevails so
generally regarding the records of
our dairy herds. The opening
sentences of what is probably
the most informative and intensely
interesting bulletin written by J.
C. McDowell, of the United States
Bureau of Dairy Industry, on the
subject of dairy herd improvement
associations and "studies the record tell."

It is expected that the owners
of 3,026 Alabama cows which are
on test in seven such associations
will be interested in the bulletin.
They will also find it valuable,
according to C. M. Ling, herd im-
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Movement For Free School Books Begins

Mr. Weeks To Make Race For Sheriff

New Bodies But No Mechanical Change In Ford

TO THE PEOPLE OF COFFEE COUNTY:

I wish to announce that I will be a candidate for Sheriff of Coffee County. I am grateful to many friends over the County who have pledged their support, and it will be my purpose to make a mechanical change in all the offices and to solicit their support of my candidacy. I want to be known by all who may not now know and I hope to be fair, honest and frank in all my administration in the event I am chosen for the office.

Respectfully,

T. E. WEEKS,

Enterprise, Alabama

(Paul Political Writer)

ALL-YEAR GARDENS

WILMINGTON, Ala., Dec. 31.—The new "all-year" all-climate gardens of Coffee County are bountiful all-year-round. Their aim is to have vegetables for their tables every day of the year.

"As one looks at them, the first thing that catches the eye is the special attention to detail. They are in fact, the most beautiful gardens in the state. The lawns and flower beds are well-kept and in excellent style. This, with the higher and longer flower and shorter cowl, give the garden a more about-feeding appearance, with the large ears.

"Tristie Brabham was last week's guest of Agnes Sawyer from Birmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heath, of Decatur, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. L. Jones, of Phenix City, were also present.

"Mrs. John Law, of Akron, Ohio, arrived here Sunday for a few days visit to relatives. Mrs. Law and family have been visiting relatives in the state, and will return home with him.

"Mrs. F. I. Spaulding, president of the Parent-Teachers Association, was in town for the Christmas holidays in a brief address. She said she had learned that in many instances children go to school for the whole term without books because of the inability of their parents to buy them.

Teachers' Meeting Of The First National Bank Of Elba

Notice is hereby given that on January 14th, 1930, at 2 o'clock p.m., the annual stockholders meeting will be held in the office of the Bank at Elba, Alabama.

H. C. JONES, Cashier

Miss Annie Laurie Ballard returned Sunday to Brilliant, Alabama, to resume her duties as teacher of music in the public schools, after spending the holidays with home folks in Elba.

Fathers Are Full

"The fathers of the church here have contributed a great deal to the improvement of the church. Higher at the front, with high and narrow, and in excellent style.

"The new fathers, which are all the young ones, are doing a great deal for the church. They are all mighty happy boys. I am offering their fifteen dollars for them today but they will not accept my offer but will give it to the church.

"Mrs. Kendrick had been a member of the church for many years and she was at the Moody Hospital when all that garden work was done.

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